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APPLICANT:

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ATTY. DOCKET NO. 30014200-1102

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GROUP ART UNIT: 2114

DATE FILED:

October 22, 2003

EXAMINER:

Timothy Bonura

INVENTION:

"MANAGING EXPOSURE TO FAILURE FOR COMPUTER-BASED

SYSTEMS"

AMENDMENT "A"

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

			CLAIMS AS AMENDE	ED		
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADL FE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS			() X 25.00 () X 50.00	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS			() X 100.00 () X 200.00	0.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				() YES (X) NO	()\$135.00 ()\$270.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITION FOR THIS AMEN					\$0.00	

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated _____ for _ month so that the period for response is extended to _____.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$ _____ to Applicants' Attorneys' credit card. Form 2038 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the additional claim fee of \$ _____ to Applicants' Attorneys' credit card. Form 2038 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed. When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2606.

DATE: September 29, 2006

Christopher P. Rauch (Reg. No. 45,034)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 29, 2006.

Christopher P. Rauch

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ADDITION THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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SIR:

This Amendment "A" is filed in response to the non-final Office Action of June 29, 2006. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.